

## **FISCAL NOTE**

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate  
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: March 20, 1995

SUBJECT: **SB 749 - HB 1210**

This bill, if enacted, will direct the State Board of Education to authorize a thorough review of the statistical foundations methodology and diagnostic value of the Tennessee Value Added Assessment System. The State Board shall use statisticians and specialists in educational outcome measurement. Results of the review are to be reported to the special Oversight Committee on Education by February 1, 1997.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be an increase in state expenditures of approximately \$47,000. This estimate is based on the cost of hiring a consultant to do a study of the TVAAS system as required by the bill.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director